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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of)	
René Langhans)	Examiner: C. Goodman
on ROTARY CUTTING UNIT)	Group Art Unit No.: 3724
Serial No.: 08/883,685)	
Filed On: June 27, 1997)	(Our Docket No. 2821-193

Hartford, Connecticut, February 28, 2001

Hon. Assistant Secretary and Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-referenced application as indicated below.

Amendments to the drawings, approved by the Examiner in the Final Office Action and/or in the in-person interview of April 20, 2000, are made to obviate certain objections to the drawings.

Entry of the following amendments is in order as the amendments narrow the issues for consideration on appeal, comply with requirements of form expressly set forth in the Final Office Action, and place the remaining rejected claims in better form for consideration upon appeal.

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